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> New U.S. Patent Application Title: SYSTEM FOR SUPPORTING REUSE OF HISTORY RECORDS OF DESIGN WORK Inventors' Names and Addresses:

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- Application- 17 pages, including 3 independent claims and 8 claims total. 1.
- Drawings- 4 sheets of drawings containing 6 figures. (Figures 1-4C). 2.
- 3. The filing fee is calculated as follows:



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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 2000-299137, filed September 29, 2000.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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